



General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 759

LCO No. 3355



Referred to Committee on COMMERCE

Introduced by:
(CE)

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE WAIVER OF FINES AND PENALTIES
FOR CERTAIN BUSINESS REGULATION VIOLATIONS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding any
2 provision of the general statutes, on or before January 1, 2014, the
3 Departments of Economic and Community Development, Energy and
4 Environmental Protection and Public Health shall jointly establish
5 procedures to abate any fine or penalty assessed after January 1, 2014,
6 against a business by any said department for a first time violation of a
7 noncriminal regulation when such business takes full remedial
8 measures not later than thirty days after such assessment.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To permit businesses to remediate regulatory violations without penalty if such violations are resolved in a timely manner.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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